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## EMPLOYEES GET CHRISTMAS GIFTS

\$1,000,000 Distributed by Chicago Firms in Presents.

### PROFIT-SHARING PLAN IS WIDESPREAD.

Many Employers of Many Large Companies Given 10 Per Cent of Their Profits as Xmas Gifts—The Crane Company Alone Gave \$250,000 to 5000 Employees—Parry, the Arch Enemy of Labor, Opposes the Plan and Prevents Many Concerns from Adopting It—First Adopted by "Golden Rule" Jones.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—The profit-sharing craze has hit Chicago industries hard. Banks, brokerage firms, manufacturing establishments and other large corporations which make a practice of sharing profits with employees, have distributed more than \$1,000,000 in Christmas gifts.

The Crane company alone gave \$250,000 to 5000 employees. The company is one of the first in Chicago to share profits with the office force and workmen. Each employee of the Crane company, from a \$2-a-week office boy to heads of the departments, received 10 per cent of his salary for the year. Banks and brokerage houses followed the same plan.

This is the plan first adopted on a large scale by "Golden Rule" Jones, owner of Toledo, O., and since Jones has distributed all labor troubles from his company, foundries and offices by the same, it has grown in popular favor.

Other large Chicago concerns would adopt the plan were it not for the bitter opposition of Parry, president of the Manufacturers' Association and labor's bitterest enemy.

He declares that such a plan will breed independence among workmen and make it impossible for employers to operate at a profit.

Parry's influence has not deterred any prominent firms who have adopted the plan satisfactory.

### THEY KISS AND MAKE UP.

Murphy and "Battling" Nelson Come to Amicable Agreement.

San Francisco, Dec. 27.—"Battling" Nelson and Ted Murphy settled their differences this morning. Nelson taking \$4000 of the \$9000 check that Murphy tried to take with him to Chicago. The charge of felony and misdemeanor against Murphy and the Sanitary was dismissed.

### Went East Football.

Portland, Dec. 27.—The football game played between the Multnomah and the Oregon Agricultural College at Portland yesterday, was one of the cleanest and most evenly matched exhibitions of skill ever witnessed in Oregon players in this state. The A. C. made some brilliant plays. The star player for the Multnomah was Murphy, their quarter, former captain of the Stanford eleven. The score was 11 to 10 in favor of Multnomah. The O. A. C. scored twice in the first half and Multnomah twice in the second half. Murphy kicked the first goal and missed the second.

### Heavy Storms in East.

San Francisco, Dec. 27.—Owing to heavy sleet and snowstorms extending from Chicago to New York the entire country west of Omaha is completely cut off from communication with the east since noon. All business in the storm belt are prostrated and business being taken by telegraph companies is subject to identification delay.

### Mexican Dollars Plentiful.

Walla Walla, Dec. 27.—Walla Walla merchants are complaining of the circulation of Mexican dollars. The ones that have gained their way into circulation are new.

### The Chadwick Inquiry Resting.

Cleveland, Dec. 27.—The Chadwick membership inquiry was not resumed today. The district attorney announced that nothing more would be done in the matter for several days.

### Bandit Drowned in Persia.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 27.—A dispatch from Bushier reports that heavy rains in Persia have ruined the crops. Three villages have been destroyed by the torrents. The loss of life is heavy. Three hundred corpses have already been recovered.

## OFFICERS ROB THEM.

Government Will Be Called Upon to Clear Up Army Scandal.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Congress will be called upon to investigate a scandal at Governor's Island, N. Y. The charges made by the special civilian committee are of so sensational a nature and involve so many officials that members of the committee declare the war department could not be an impartial tribunal.

It is charged that officers of the post have misappropriated \$37,000 for their own comfort from the fund of \$40,000 appropriated by congress for the benefit of the enlisted men. The money, the committee declares, was used to build an addition to the officers' club house and to furnish and remodel the building.

Only \$3000 of the \$40,000 appropriated was spent on the part of the building devoted to enlisted men in the construction of a reading room. This so-called reading room, however, contains no books, magazines or newspapers of any kind. The officers at the post have made a partial admission of the charges, but they declare that they supposed that was what the money was to be used for.

## GAMBLERS MUST LEAVE.

Gambling Is a Penitentiary Offense in Washington and County Attorney Will Prosecute.

Tacoma, Dec. 27.—The county attorney today notified the mayor that all gambling houses must close or warrants will be issued for the arrest of the gamblers. Tacoma is the only open town in Washington. The state law makes gambling a penitentiary offense.

## SHEEP KILLED IN RANGE WAR

MONTANA STOCKMEN IN A BITTER FIGHT.

Over 500 Sheep Shot to Death on Clark's Fork, in One Raid by Cattlemen—Sheep Were Ranging on Forbidden Territory—Armed Men Drove Herder Away and Slaughtered the Animals by Shooting Them and Driving Them Over a Bluff.

Helena, Dec. 27.—A special from Bridger, Mont., says: A war has broken out between cattle and sheep men in the Clark Fork valley and reports reached Bridger today to the effect that cattlemen had bombarded and killed 500 head of sheep for C. H. Clarke, who resides on the Clark Fork river about 25 miles south of Bridger.

The sheep were brought to the valley recently from the Musselshell country and taken to what is known as Silver Tip.

The story of the slaughter is to the effect that the sheep were grazing at the mouth of the Longdry, when a number of masked men rode up and compelled the herder to leave. The party then attacked the sheep with clubs and guns, driving some over a bluff and shooting down the others.

## DAVID AND GOLIATH.

Big New York Policemen Fail to Throw a Little Jap.

Five star athletes of the New York police force went to headquarters to act as subjects in experiments in Jiu-Jitsu. Hagashi, formerly teacher of Jiu-Jitsu at Klot, summoned Commissioner McAdoo and illustrated the Japanese method of defense and offense. The five policemen selected as subjects included the all-round champion hammer thrower, professional welterweight, amateur middleweight, champion boxer, runner and all-round athlete.

The policemen are all powerful men. Hagashi is 5 feet 3 inches tall and weighs 120 pounds. He began with a policeman known as Ajax because of his marvelous strength. Ajax duplicated the feats of the strong men in the circus. He towered like a giant over the diminutive Jap, but after a brief tussle the Jap had him down limp and black in the face.

Ajax tried again, and in a second was down again, showing such signs of distress that the other five policemen rushed to pull the little Jap off. The other policemen were not willing to let the Jap try Jiu-Jitsu on them.

## Fed 90 People.

The local Salvation Army corps sent out 27 boxes of food on Christmas day, containing dinners for 90 people. Other gifts were also distributed on that day, and the poor were made happy through the untiring efforts of the army. The boxes were filled with wholesome food, and each contained a large supply—more than enough for four people each. Every effort was made to reach the most needy, and so far as is known not a worthy poor family was missed by the messengers.

Poverty is no disgrace—If it is through no fault of your own.

## RUMOR OF CZAR'S ASSASSINATION.

Paris, Dec. 27.—A report was circulated on the Bourse today that the czar had been assassinated. The foreign office and the Russian embassy ignore the report, but it continued to spread. The alleged report was based on a message received at Credit Lyonnais, Banque de Paris, but this was denied by both institutions.

## POLISH REVOLT NOW IMMINENT

Soldier Train Bearing Reservists is Wrecked by Anti-War Sympathizers.

## FEELING AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT IS INTENSE.

Rioting Has Been Continuous Since the Women of Cracow and Lodz Were Ridden Down by Mounted Russian Guards—Poles Object to Going to the Front to Fight the Japanese—Bitterest Hatred Against Russia Is Growing—General Uprising of the Poles Is Expected—Russian Forces in Poland Are Increased.

Berlin, Dec. 27.—At Krasnojarsk, Poland, anti-war sympathizers derailed a train conveying 300 reservists for mobilization at Lodz. Many of the reservists were killed and injured.

This is the outcome of the riot of the Polish women, who made a demonstration at various Polish cities, Saturday, when the Russian military authorities forced the Polish reservists to start for the recruiting stations from whence they would be taken to the front to fight the Japanese.

At Cracow, Lodz and other Polish cities the women attacked the Russian soldiers, when they came to take the Polish recruits, but were dispersed by repeated charges of the mounted guards.

Since these riots, the anti-Russian sentiment has been at fever heat in Polish cities and rioting has been continuous among the inhabitants of every Polish city, where Polish reservists have been forced to go to the front, the feeling against the government has been intense and a general outbreak is expected. The forces of Russian guards are being doubled to prevent rioting and to suppress any general uprising of the Poles.

## VESSELS COLLIDE.

The Japanese Steamer Is Badly Injured, While Warship Is Unhurt.

Shanghai, Dec. 27.—In a collision between the British warship Iphigenie and a Japanese steamer, the Taisei Maru today the latter was badly injured. The warship was uninjured.

"Many a man jer' erbout t' die suddenly realizes he's let t' fire insurance lapse."

## REIGN OF TERROR IN A MINING CAMP

Reno, Nev., Dec. 27.—Frightful conditions prevail at Goldfield, the new mining camp in the southern part of the state. Epidemics of diphtheria, smallpox and black pneumonia are raging.

It is impossible to get medicines, food, water, building material or the necessities into the camp on account of a 60-day embargo on freight at Reno, due to congestion of traffic.

Pneumonia is taking men off in a night, and not an effort is being made to isolate the smallpox patients. The supply of coffins is insufficient and corpses are permitted to remain above the ground for days at a time. Hundreds are sleeping in thin tents.

The rush into the camp continues, and unless building material is brought in soon, conditions will become appalling.

Hold-ups are of nightly occurrence and a veritable reign of terror is expected the first of the year when a large number of leases expire, forcing operators to shut down for a lack of equipment. Lease holders openly threaten to jump valuable claims and

## CONGRATULATES CZAR.

Town Councils Pass Resolutions of Confidence in Government.

Moscow, Dec. 27.—The Zensday passed a resolution of confidence in the government and congratulated the czar for his appointment of Sviatopolk Marinski as minister of the interior and for the prospect of mutual confidence between the government and the people.

## Water Supply Cut Off.

Baker City, Dec. 27.—Because the city officials failed to secure permission to cross the government forest reserve with a flume near this city, the government ordered the supply cut off some time ago. After consultation with the forest ranger, however, the government allowed the water to be turned in the flume again, and after a temporary drought, water is again in the city mains.

## Explosion Kills Workmen.

Pittsburg, Dec. 27.—An explosion at 10 o'clock this morning in the furnace of the Edgar-Thomson blast furnace at Braddock, is believed to have resulted in the death of several workmen. Five physicians have been summoned.

## Holland Observes Strict Neutrality.

The Hague, Dec. 27.—The report that Holland will place the Sabang Straits settlements at the disposal of the Baltic fleet is officially denied here. Holland will observe strict neutrality.

## Will Investigate Tibet.

Tientsin Tung, China, Dec. 27.—The Shaohi Taotai of Tientsin left this morning en route to Tibet to investigate conditions there.

## WESTON NORMAL PROSPECT BRIGHT

PRESIDENT FRENCH FINDS FAVORABLE SENTIMENT.

Believes Willamette Valley Legislators Will Readily Grant the Request of the Board of Regents for \$50,000 for the Normal—\$25,000 Needed for New Buildings, the Remainder for Maintenance—Comparative Showing of Weston School Is Favorable.

That the Weston Normal school will receive just and liberal treatment at the hands of the coming session, of the legislature is the candid opinion of President H. C. French, who returned this morning from an extended visit in the Willamette valley.

President French has discussed the subject of the Weston Normal appropriation, with influential members of the legislature from various Willamette valley counties, and is highly encouraged with the prospects.

They all recognize the need of the highest educational facilities for the growing and progressive Eastern Oregon section, and at least, all seem willing to grant this school anything necessary to its maintenance and development.

The amount asked for by the regents of the Weston Normal will be \$50,000—\$25,000 of this for maintenance for the next two years, and \$25,000 for new dormitory and other necessary improvements.

These improvements are absolutely necessary for the proper care of its students. The accommodations are now crowded to the limit, and Weston being but a small town, the outside accommodations must necessarily be limited.

President French feels highly encouraged with the comparative showing made by the normal. The work done and the cost of maintenance compares very favorably with that of the Monmouth and Drain Normal schools, and the Monmouth school is asking \$50,000 for maintenance for the coming two years and \$25,000 for new buildings, making a total of \$75,000 considered for that school.

Considering the fact that the Weston Normal is in a practically new field, where it is the only state institution, and therefore must bear all the burden of higher education in this extensive section, President French feels that the request for but \$50,000 for this school under the circumstances is a moderate request which will be granted without debate, perhaps.

## Real Estate Transfers.

Dean Hamilton and wife to Leidy C. Somerville, land near Weston. Consideration, \$2700. J. W. Young and others to A. Loveridge, four lots in the city of Weston. Consideration, \$1200.

## Charged With Assault.

S. Yano, charged with assault with intent to commit murder, will be given preliminary examination in the justice court Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Northwest Methodists have planned five monster meetings to be held in Portland, during the Lewis and Clark fair.

## FROZEN TO DEATH WHILE ON A SPREE

Ta-car-nie, a Umatilla Brave, Found Dead on the Reservation.

### NEAR HIS LIFELESS BODY A BOTTLE OF WHISKEY.

Victim Was Well Known in Pendleton and Was a Slave to the Liquor Habit—Narrowly Escaped Death by Drinking the Poison Intended for Anna Edna—His Fate Is Common to Umatilla Indians—Five Crows, Most Noted of the Umatilla Tribe, Frozen to Death in the Road While Drunk, Two Years Ago.

Frozen to death while in a drunken stupor was the fate Sunday night of Ta-car-nie, a Umatilla Indian. His lifeless body was discovered near his tepee yesterday morning with an empty bottle of Pendleton booze by his side. The funeral was held this morning. The dead man was about 45 years of age and well known in Pendleton.

The death of an Indian from exposure is a common occurrence on the Umatilla reservation. Last winter a frozen brave was found near the city limits, in the east end of town. Two years ago five crows met death by freezing near the agency.

The death of Ta-car-nie recalls an incident of the murder of Anna Edna, an Indian medicine woman. The sorceress was poisoned and Columbia George and Toy-toy are serving life sentences for the crime. The murderers were on their way to their victim's lodge with a bottle containing alcohol and strychnine. They displayed the bottle to Ta-car-nie, who seized it and was only prevented from drinking its contents by the combined efforts of his two companions.

Ta-car-nie's appetite for liquor was intense and he has been the most noted whiskey drinker on the reservation. He seemingly experienced no trouble in securing a plentiful supply at Pendleton joints, as his visits to the city always resulted protracted sprees.

## NEW JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Baker County May Be Made a Separate District.

The proposal of dividing the Eighth judicial district and placing Baker county in a separate district will be before the legislature at the coming session.

A report from Baker City says that State Senator John L. Rand of Baker county, has announced his intention to introduce a bill at the next session of the legislature to create a new judicial district by dividing the Eighth district, now composed of Baker, Union and Walla Walla counties, leaving Union and Walla Walla in the old district and making a new district of Baker county. A bill to this effect was up before the last regular session, but failed to pass.

The leading attorneys all agree that the creation of another judicial district, to be comprised of Baker county, is necessary, and there will be no opposition to the passage of the bill from this end of the state.

## CHILD BURNED TO DEATH.

House Took Fire From a Tallow Candle.

A 5-year-old boy named Cain, the stepson of John Hanly, was burned to a crisp last Friday morning in a fire that destroyed the latter's house down Crooked river, near Rimrock, says the Sumpter Miner. Particulars are meager, but from what we have been able to learn it seems that the little fellow was one of the several children who slept upstairs, while the parents occupied a room downstairs. They had lighted themselves by means of a candle, without a candlestick, which was placed on a stand table, and the children, as was their custom, went to bed leaving it burning, expecting to chat a while and then blow it out.

## May Be Rabbit Drive.

It is possible that the people of Echo will arrange for a big rabbit drive at some near future date. There is a light fall of snow on the rabbit haunts now and the weather is favorable for a drive. If the event is decided upon, the date and arrangements will be published in advance.

## Killing and Pillaging.

Belgrade, Dec. 27.—Revolutionary Bulgarians today attacked a village near Legalia. Thirty persons were killed. At Veler five Greeks and three Bulgarians have been killed.